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Title: "IMAGE-CAPTURING APPARATUS, IMAGE-PROCESSING APPARATUS, IMAGE-RECORDING APPARATUS, IMAGE-PROCESSING METHOD, PROGRAM OF THE SAME AND RECORDING MEDIUM OF THE PROGRAM"

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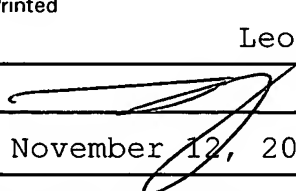
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